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Re: Application of: David S. Breed et al.
Serial No.: 10/658,750
Filed: September 9, 2003
For: Method and Apparatus for Measuring the Quantity of
a Liquid in a Vehicle Container
Customer Number: 22846
Confirmation No.: 3392

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Commissioner for Patents
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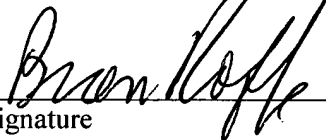
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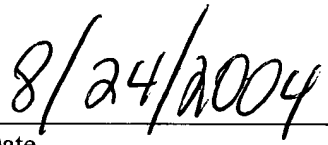
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By: Brian Roffe


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